

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

PATENT APPLICATION

Inventor(s): MORIFUJI
 Appln. No.: 09 | 493,063
 Series Code ↑ | Serial No. ↑

Filed: January 28, 2000
 Hon. Commissioner of Patents
 Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:
REPLY/AMENDMENT/LETTER

Date: April 18, 2003

This is a reply/amendment/letter in the above-identified application and includes the herewith attachment of same date and subject which is incorporated hereinto by reference and the signature below is treated as the signature to the attachment in absence of a signature thereto.

FEE REQUIREMENTS FOR CLAIMS AS AMENDED

1. Small Entity claim	For B & C See Required Separate Paper (Pat-256)
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B. <input type="checkbox"/> Withdrawn	
C. <input type="checkbox"/> made herewith	
D. <input type="checkbox"/> made previously	

	Claims remaining after amendment	Highest number previously paid for	Present Extra	Large/Small Entity	/ Additional Fee	Fee Code Lg/Sm
2. Total Effective Claims	17	**minus 20	0	x \$18/\$9 =	+ \$0	103/203
3. Independent Claims	3	***minus 3	0	x \$84/\$42 =	+ \$0	102/202
4. If amendment enters proper multiple dependent claim(s) into this application for first time (leave blank if this is a reissue application)		add		+ \$280/\$140 =	+ \$0	104/204
5. Original due Date: March 19, 2003	<input type="checkbox"/> NONE					
6. Petition is hereby made to extend the original due date to cover the date this response is filed for which the requisite fee is attached	(1 mo) (2 mos) (3 mos) (4 mos) (5 mos)	\$110/\$55 = \$410/\$205 = \$930/\$465 = \$1,450/\$725 = \$1,970/\$985 =	+ \$110			115/215 116/216 117/217 118/218 128/228
7. Enter any previous extension fee paid since above original due date and subtract		- \$0				
8.		Extension Fee	+ \$110			
9. If Terminal Disclaimer attached, add Rule 20(d) official fee		+ \$110/\$55	+ \$0			148/248
10. If IDS attached requires Official Fee under Rule 97 (c),	add	+ \$180	+ \$0			126
or if Rule 97(d) Request	add	+ \$180	+ \$0			126
11. After-Final Request Fee per rules 129(a) and 17(r)		+ \$750/370	+ \$0			146/246
12. No. of additional inventions for examination per Rule 129(b).....		x \$750/375 ea	+ \$0			149/249
13. Request for Continued Examination (RCE)		+ \$750/375	+ \$0			1179/1279
14. Petition fee for			+ \$0			
15.		TOTAL FEE =	\$110			
16. *If the entry in this space is less than entry in next space, the "Present Extra" result is "0".						
17. **If the "Highest number previously paid for" in this space is less than 20, write "20" in this space.						
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		PLEASE CHARGE OUR DEP. ACCT				

Our Deposit Account No. 03-3975
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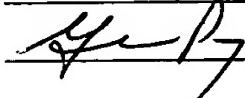
This CHARGE STATEMENT does not authorize charge of the issue fee until/unless an issue fee transmittal sheet is filed.

Query: Is appeal deadline now? If so, file Notice of Appeals separately.

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In re PATENT APPLICATION OF

Confirmation No.: 1728

MORIFUJI

Group Art Unit: 2815

Appln. No.: 09/493,063

Examiner: E. LEE

Filed: January 28, 2000

Title: SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE AND METHOD OF MANUFACTURING THE SAME

April 18, 2003

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AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated December 19, 2002, please amend the above identified application as follows:

This Amendment is being presented in the REVISED FORMAT approved in February, 2003.

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